THE PREACHER A STRANGLER?

"Evangelist" Johnson Arrested for the Murder of Annie Beekman.

HE WAS LAST SEEN WITH HER

Apprehended in His Shanty, Whither the Dead Girl's Body Had Been Taken.

WAS DRINKING WITH THE GIRL

Tried to Implicate Two Mysterious White Men, but Made a Meas

Robbery the Motive.

Somerset County has not been so disknown to have had in her possession.

For years before that time she had been employed as a domestic with Caivin Carle, of Neshanic.

Of leaving the latter's service he owed something over \$30, and it was to get this sum that she came here Satur-

tellectually, above their colored brethren. He is a most insignificant-looking Individual, was might be taken for any

thing but a preacher.

His wife is nearly six teet tall, and strongly built. The shanty which they destored to Duty To-Day by the Pos on the brink of a hill overlook ing a narrow stream about a quarter of mile from the Raritan River woods near which the body of the murdered girl was found

Johnson's Films, Story. hen she arrived at Somerville, she

met Johnson and wanted him to have a drink. He save he did not want it, but she insisted so both crossed the street to Treat's Commercial Hotel, near the lawing a prisoner to escape from Jetson and the street ferson Market Court, about three distributions. depot. The girl had a giass of wine, and he had soda. From Treat's the couple went to Cawley's Hotel, and more drinks were ordered.

Johnson told the police vesterday that he saw two white men winking at his companion, and that when he left they followed her.

deform Market Court, about three months ago, was dismissed. Sergi Patrick Lane, of the Nineteenth Precinct, and Detective Michael J. Reidy, of the Central Office, were also exountrated. In executive session, Patrolmen Jacob, Kibrick and Thomas Hogsett, of the West Thirty-seventh street station, were dismissed from the force They were identified on a charge of being it same

When State's Attorney Dungan got to his office this morning, he held a con-ference with Coroner Brady and Justice Sutphin. The lawyer then made an affidavit, and the warrant was issued. The Coroner, with a detective and an "Even ing World" reporter, were driven to the scene, followed by the other officials. knew what to do with, but added if Their arrival was quickly known, and somebody did not soon claim a pocketa score or more colored men and women swarmed around.

His Wife Calls for Vengeance.

Johnson's knees trembled when the handcuffs were placed on his wrists, but he said nothing. His sister, who was he said nothing. His sister, who was present, began crying and wringing her hands. All the others did likewise, except the man's wife, who called down vengeance upon the white prosecutors.

Owner.

Mr. Dunn said we could expect slight to warmer weather to lay or to merrow. The temperature in this city at 8 o'clock this morning was 56 degrees, at 81.

He said he got home at 11 o'clock. His wife said 11.30 and the sister insisted he got home at 19.30 o'clock with the bag of meat., She had looked at the clocas he entered.

After the first exhibition of weakness Johnson became more calm and pro-tested his innocence. A search of the ouse followed the arrest and the over alls, shoes and jumper which Johnso wore on Saturday were seized. The

The man's finger nails were also carefully cleaned and scraped. All will be sent to a chemist for analysis. body of the murdered girl still lies at the preacher's home.

Johnson was never ordained. He has only been here since April last. The officials are looking up his record.

SERVANT'S LOVER A THIEF?

keeper's Beau of Theft.

Mrs. Kate Holmes, a remarkably handome woman, was complainant in Jef-

white Men, but Made a Mess
of It—Robbery the Motive.

(Special to The Evening World.)

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Sept. 15.—The
sensation caused by the discovery early
yesterday morning of the murdered body
of the eighteen-year-old mulatto girl.
Annie Beekman, near the woods at the
Raritan River brwige, increased to-day
when at noon Jacob Johnson, a colored cepted lover of her housekeeper, Agnes

Guy, Tax Commissioner Wells, Deputy Assistant District-Attorney Oliver and others, called on the Mayor this after turbed in a long time as over this latest noon to protest against the resumption murder. It was of the most brutal kind, of the practice of dumping refuse on and the only motive, so far as known. Eiker's Island. It was stupped by law was the robbery of \$48 which she was early in the year, but it was proposed known to have had in her possession.

The girl was here attending the fair on Saturday last, and then told her sequaintances that five months before she had married an old man named she had married an old man named.

ept pure, clean ashes. If they attempt to do anything of the id without my consent there will be usic," said the Mayor. And if it should happen that they il overrule you, there will be music."

Hee Commissioners.

Col. Grant was not at the meeting o and the the Police Board to-day. Sergt. William O'Toole was restored

to duty. With ex-Detective Sergt. Fink, he was indicted in the Dr. Whitehead alleged malpractice and blackmailing case.
Sergt, O'Toole will be assigned to

--MR. DUNN FINDS A ROLL.

The Wenther Man Very Cheerful and Says Twill Be Warmer.

Weather Forecaster Dunn said this morning he had more maney book and large sum of money which he found in a street-car a few days ago he would lay in a good stock of winter clothing. He declined to go into particulars; to give the day on which he had made the find or the street-car ignilest his questioner would pose as the owner.

sires a Separation.

of Holmes vs. He mes.

His Lawyer Intimates "She Wants to Play Him to the Limit."

The application of Mrs. Mary A. Bost-

Homer Bostwick is the son of Dr. Market Court this morning Homer Bostwick, who died in 1883, leav- proof against her was so overwhelming shortly before noon yesterday. against Joseph Rushworth, twenty years ing a large estate, of which the son inof age, of 406 West Thirty-lifth street, herited \$20,000, with a contingent inter-Mrs. Bostwick was a Miss McConnell, God, let me not suffer.

of it—Robbery the Motive.

Special to The Evening World.)

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Sept. 16.—The Sevening world.)

Somerous of the eight of the eight of the introduced by the discovery early of the eight o

vit to the charge made in the divorce suit of Holmes against Holmes that Bostwick had been charged with improper conduct with Mrs. Holmes. Mrs. Hostwick he said, had refrained, however, from mentioning that charge it her complaint or from asking for an absolute divorce. She had only askefor a separation, so that "to use a sporting phrase, she might play him to the limit." he limit." Decision was reserved.

HIS SISTER FINDS A WILL.

and It Just Appears.

Application was made by Pauline So-mek, of 428 West Forty-fifth street, to Surrogate Arnold to-day for a stay of the administration proceedings in the state of her brother, Isaac E. Somek

estate of her brother, Isaac E. Somek, of Holly Springs, Miss.

Somek died on May 16 while on a visit to this city. No will was found at the time, and his widow, Henrietta Somek, secured the appointment of John Kaufman as administrator.

To-day Pauline Somek filed a will signed by Somek. It was written on a single sheet of note paper, and by it he left his sister all his property, making no provision for his widow or their two children.

Fogarty said that he tried both the front and side door of the saloon and was unable to get in. Peeling certain that the law was being violated he entered the adjoining house, ran upstairs to the roof and entered 2.307 through the seutile. As he was descending he was met by Cauley. The detective as sured Cauley that he was all right. He was then permitted to eiter a room on the second floor, where a ker of beer was on tap, whiskey bottles of issuaved and about a dozen men refreshing themselves. Fogarty drank and paid for two glasses of beer and then arrested Cauley.

He was the law a plea of guilty carried as a sign counsel to defend him, when he will be rearraigned.

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THE CREEK WILL PAY.

Slegel, Cooper & Co. Build a Big

Tank to Hold the Water. The construction of a tank for the The construction of a tank for the storage of water from the old Minetta Creek, which is flowing into the excavation for the building of Siegel, Cooper A 10., at Sixth avenue and Nineteenth is morning the wonled man's recovery in morning the wonled man's recovery in tion for the building of Siegel, Cooper

Mrs. Homer Bostwick Simply De- She Murdered Little Children Mrs. Marcou's Case Is in the Given Into Her Care.

He Was Co-respondent in the Suit Hysterical and Almost Carried to Looking for a Man Believed to Be in Some Way Responsible. the Drop.

> Her Crimes the Sensation of Last She Was Persecuted by a Man Year in New Zenland.

VANCOUVER, H. C., Sept. 15 - Minnie wick for counsel fee and alimony, pend- Dean, who was condemned to death for street station, armed with a warrant ing the trial of a suit for separation the murder of infants intrusted to her issued by Curoner Hoeber, are looking which she has brought against her tus- care, has been executed in invercar- for a man whose name they refuse to band, Homer Bostwick, was heard be- gill, Auckland, New Zenland, She pro- divulge. They believe he is in some fore Justice Beekman in the Supreme tested her innocence to the last.

Clemency was asked on account of Bessie Marcou, who died suddenly at

whom she accuses of robbing her of est in his step-mother's estate on her had to be almost carried to the drop, das "Mrs. Marcou, New Orleans, La."

\$157.75 on Sept. 6. While at the hotel she sent a number According to the story told by the a Captain in the Twenty-second Regis world from view she became more resomet and believed to be a man of means. signed, but piteously exclaimed. "Oh! broker in New Orleans, to which she

Hands of the Police.

Named Daniel McGillogh.

The police of the West Thirtieth the murderess being a woman but the her rooms, 152 West Thirty-fifth street,

that no mercy was shown.

It was in June last she came here
On the scaffold she was hysterical and
and registered at the Hotel Marlborough received replies

Mrs. Bostwick was a Miss McCohner, of California. She was married to Bostwick Oct. 12, 1886, after a courtship taneous. The woman prayed incessor far as is at present known. She santly towards the last, but stoutly of her heart Saturday. Sunday, just

BOOM

All Real Estate (other than display), Horses and Carriages, Good Will and Interest, Loans, Purchase and Exchange, Business Opportunities, Boarders and Lost and Found advertisements in the Morning World will be repeated on the

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that time Hundred and Fifteenth street

tlings to Her Wounded Lover.

A thorough search in the Vision State of the State State of the State St

the murder of her mother, Mrs. Henry

Wife-Beater Griffin Will Die.

vengeance upon the white prosecutors.

"My husband is a dominie," she cried.

"He would not commit murder for 140.

We took that girl in here as Christians and now this is what we get for it."

All the members of Johnson's family winds.

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The following record shows the changes in the told different stories as to the time of this arrival home on Saturday night.

The street is now well under way. De Lemes & Corles said to-day that the tank, which will be completed inside of a week.

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FATAL GAME OF CARDS.

One Man Dying and Another One

pital in a dying condition from a stab in the abdomen. His assailant, Cortello Amato, living at 880 Eleventh avenue, was committed to prison without bail to day to await the result of the injuries by Magistrate Flammer in Yorkville

by Magistrate Flammer in Yorkvine Court,
Amato also stabled Antonio Clumo, who lives in Guitillo's house, on the right arm and wrist.

The stabling occurred in Amato's room, where a dozen Italians were playing cards for money.

Amato was aimning the money and Guitillo hinted everything was not all right. This broke un the game, and a general right followed and continued down to the street and around the corner to Tenth avenue and Fifty-ninth street. Here Amato, it is charged, drew a weapon and slashed Guitillo and Clumo.

first cut caugnt Guitillo across

The first cut caught Guitillo across the abdomen, aimost disembowelling htm. Guitillo dropped without a sound. Clumo sprang upon Amato and received two severs cuts. Amato fied. Policeman John McGinley captures him. Clumo was able to appear against his assailant to-day. The police say Amato has been mixed up in other stabbing affrays. He is married and has three children. Guitillo has a wife and six children.

COMPLAINANT NOW IN JAIL.

McGreevy Accused of Trying to Compound Petriola's Felony. Thomas McGreevey, fifty years old, of 85 South stret, was held in \$300 ball on a very good. The Conference Committees charge of attempted extortion, in the are only given powers to propose meth-Tombs Court this morning.

Petriola, of 61 James street. Her son has indorsed the scheme.

James was to have been tried this mornThe result of the meeting to-night

BUTLER A FREE MAN.

Locked Up Since July on a Charge of Wife-Murder.

Edward Butler, of 25 Monroe street, tho has been locked up in the Tombs Prison ever since the latter part of July, harged with killing his wife, was re lieved of the charge to-day by the Grand Jury dismissing the complaint against

July 22 last Butler, who is a laborer, went to his home to get his coat, which he had left there. He found that his wife, in his absence, had pawned the coat and gotten drunk on the proceeds. He had a quarrel with her and pushed her. She fell and fractured her skull, and died July 27 in Gouverneur Hospital. She said before her death that her husband did not strike her, but merely pushed her. The Grand Jury, is refore, dismissed the case on the evidence. Butler was released from prison shortly afterwards.

ARSON CASE WAS WEAK.

South Brooklyn, either fell or jumped from the deed of the vessel into the mater early this merning. He was rescued by the cree of an other vessel and taken to the Pitts avenue station, where he was locked in

the murdet of her mother, Mrs. Henry
H. Bliss, by polson.

The story that Henry H. Bliss had been arrested by the story that he had disappeared, are decided by Inspector McCulingh. He says Bliss, who is Mrs. Fleming's connection with the death of her mother from whom he had been estraiged sonnection with the death of her mother from whom he had been estraiged sonne time. He now believes she is innocent, and will aid her to secure freedom.

The story that Henry H. Bliss had marked by Inspector the story that he says Bliss had been charactered by the station where he was looked up.

Took Laudhnum to Kill Remorac.

William J. Hamilton force years cit, of the county during the mast year, and make a searching inquiry into alleged corruption charges in the search of the locks with the mast place it is believed that the Julier related to have a proposed in have paid 'procition with the death of her mother from whom he had been estrained or making inquiry into alleged corruption charges in the search of the mast year, and make a searching inquiry into alleged corruption charges in the search of the mast year, and make a searching inquiry into alleged corruption charges in the search of the mast year, and make a search with the mast place of the public official of the county during the mast year, and make a search with the search of the mast year, and make a search with the mast place of the county during the mast year, and make a search with the search pair in the search of the mast year, and make a search with the search of the mast year, and make a search with the search of the public official of the county during the mast year, and make a search with the search of the mast year, and make a search with the search of the county during the mast year, and make a search with the search of the county during the mast year, and make a search we have a searc

Canal-Boat Captain's Saicide. Wife-Benter Griffin Will are.

When Charles McKinnon, who shot his brother-in-law. William it Griffin in the house at 53 A. White, to kill bisself this affectation. Wilson street, Williamsburg, on the night of ball is lying in the base at the foot of Pavy avenue, Jersey City Slaw shot himself to times in the breast and abdomen. Deapontency caused Stephen II. Shaw, sixtyfive years of age, captain of the canal-boat Jame-

Little Tot Instantly Killed. Six-year-old Lottle Cohen, who was playing on a Gre-ex-ape at her home at 190 Atlen street, fell to the sidewalk at 2 o'clock this afternoon and was instantly killed.

BROOKLYN.

Democratic Factions in Brooklyn Coming Closer Together.

Shepardites Will Meet To-Night to Take Action.

There Will Be No Friction at the Syracuse Convention.

Edward M. Shepard, Chairman of the party in Kings County, will report the the regulars at a meeting of the Shepardite General Committee at the Athenaeum this evening. The Shepardites and regulars have 28-inch English

been striving for harmony for some time. Now the Shepardites will receive a one-third representation in the State convention at Syracuse on Sept. 24, and will be given two out of the five members of the State Central Committee. The outlook for the adoption of har mony resolutions to-night is said to be ods. The General Committee will make The complainant was Mrs. Victoria the disposition. The regular Committee

In special Sessions for assaulting and robbing McGreevey on Fourteenth street Sept. 5 last.

Mrs. Petriola yesterday told Capt.
Thompson and Detective Galvin, of the Oak street station, that McGreevey came to her in the morning and told her that for \$15 he would tear up his subpoena and run away, so that her son might go free. Oak street station, that McGreevey came to her in the morning and told her that for \$15 he would tear up his subpoena and run away, so that her son might go free.

She told him to come again in the afternoon, and when he appeared she walked with him to James street and New Bowery, where she turned him over to Capt. Thompson and Detective Galvin.

McGreevey denied that he had asked for money, and said that Mrs. Petriola and other Italians had offered him money if he would fall to appear against the boy, and that he had refused to be bribed.

PRIMARIES TO-NIGHT.

Regular Democrats Will Have Their Turn.

The Democrats of Brooklyn will hold primaries in the thirty-one wards of the city this evening. Delegates will be selected in election districts to attend Assembly conventions to choose delegates to the State Convention and to Judiciary Convention of the Second Judicial District.

The primaries will be harmonious except in the Tenth Ward, where the McGarryites and Hennesseyites will con-

JAIL IS TOO CROWDED.

New Grand Jury. A new Grand Jury was sworn in by Judge Moore in the Brooklyn Court of Sessions this morning.

Judge Moore called their attention

Judge Rufus C. Cowing, who returned from Europe on Saturday, presided in Part II. in Court of General Sessions to-day, Judge Cowing visited England, France, Belgium and Holland while away. He was ill while in London and lost about twenty pounds, which he has since recovered. s while away. He was ill while in London and lost about twenty pounds, which he has since recovered.

Entomologist Hiley Dead.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 16.—Prof. Charles Valentine Riley, the entomologist, died early yesterday morning from injuries received by a fail from a bicycle. He had been entomologist to the Department of Agriculture since 1878.

Mrs. Mary Fleming, in whose behalf Charles W. Brooke has been enlisted, has recovered from the lilness which prestrated her in her Tombs cell, and was brighter this morning when Mr. Brooke called.

The veteran lawyer had announced he should serve a two days' notice upon District-Attorney Fellows of an intention to demand the right to inspect the minutes of the Grand Jury, as a basis for the indictment of Mrs. Fleming for the indict mental proposed against turned upon him in the dates avenue Folice Court his morning when the Tale at September 12 in the Indicate Avenue Folice Court his morning when the Tal

To Investigate Queens Co. Officials. this Judge Garret J. Garretson, of Queens County,

Fire broke out this marning in the three-sta milding at 500 Henry street, Brooklyn. It owned by Mrs. Hannah Hannon, and was dam-aged to the extent of \$1,000. An adjusting building was also damaged to the extent of \$600.

llank Receiver's Statement. William N. Dykman, receiver for the Com-mercial Bank, Brooklyn this moraing submitted the following statement to Justica Cullen in the Suprems Court: Amount received since ap-pointed receiver in Contage 1881 881,802.04.

Ferdinand Guiffilo. fruit vender, of 852 PRACTICALLY A UNIT. B. Alfmana Control of Alfmana Control of August 1985 PRACTICALLY A UNIT. B. Alfmana Control of

will offer Tuesday, Sept. 17,

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THE SISTERS IN RETREAT.

They are Exploregations of the William Water around and detectives were adjusted and detectives were adjust

Deputy Sheriff Walgering to-day arrested Mark and Clarence Davis, cap manufacturers, of West Fourth street, on an order issued by Judge Botty, of the City Court, in an action brought by Jacob Feldman for \$2,000 damages for

assault and false imprisonment. Feldman alleges that Sept. 9 at 58 West

Fourth street, the Davis brothers stuck a paper in front of his face and beat Feldman was arrested and discharged by Magistrate Cornell in Jefferson Mar-An Abusive Policeman.

Peliceman Cox, of Brocklyn, had the tables quickly and unpleasantly turned upon him in the Gates Avenue Police Court this moraing when Gates Avenue Policeman.

The Davis brothers mistook Feldman for one of the strikers. The paper was an injunction.

The prisoners were released in \$1,000 to the prisoners were released in \$1,000 to the prisoners.

Sign. He was locked up in Ludiow Street Jail
William E. Gray was arrested on the charge of Chief Justice Van Wyck for contempt of court in having made alleged false verified answers while being examined in supplementary proceedings on judgment secured for \$2,104.13, by Herman and Abraham Fronne.

The Half-Million Guarantee Page markets Horses and Carriages. Victor Football Guide.

The Overman Wheel Company have issued an

iteresting little work named the Victor Football

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